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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

Sir:

This submission is in response to the Notification of Defective Response which was mailed on August 27, 2008. As September 27, 2008, fell on a Saturday, this response is timely filed on September 29, 2008.

In the Notification, it is alleged that the previously submitted "Sequence Listing" in computer-readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the marked-up "Raw Sequence Listing" which is referenced in the Notification of Defective Response.

In response, Applicants are submitting herewith the following:

- (1) a substitute computer-readable copy and a substitute paper copy of the sequence listing;
- (2) a statement that the computer-readable and paper copies of the sequence listing are the same and introduce no new matter to the undersigned's knowledge;
- (3) an amendment specifically directing entry of the sequence listing being submitted herewith into the application;
- (4) a copy of the Notification of Defective Response; and

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(5) a copy of the marked-up "Raw Sequence Listing".

No fees are believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees deemed due in connection with this communication, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-2461. Such authorization includes authorization to charge fees for extensions of time, if any, under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 and also should be treated as a constructive petition for an extension of time in this reply or any future reply pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136.

It is respectfully submitted that the present application is now in condition for examination. Should the Examiner have any questions or concerns regarding this submission, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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